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## U.F.A. PICNIC

The Edwell Local Union of the U.F.A. held their annual picnic last month, when a large crowd assembled for a good time. Interesting addresses were given by Mr. J. Stauffer, Director for Red Deer and Mr. B. Carwell, of Calgary.

The stalls realized the sum of \$119.14, which amount has been remitted to the Red Cross Society, Calgary, and the Red Cross Society, Calgary, and the Red Cross Society, Calgary.

The picnic was a decided success.

## ROCKY MT. HOUSE

From the Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dell, and Miss Helen McGee, were Red Deer visitors over the week end.

Inspector I. R. Risk, of the Alberta Provincial Police, was a visitor to town Monday.

Mrs. Hanna and children, of Red Deer, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ross of this district.

Lieut. Col. Bryan, Superintendent of the Alberta Provincial Police, was in Rocky Mountain House Monday, on a trip of inspection through the Province.

A very interesting court case was heard before his Worship Justice Allen on Monday evening, when a Plam and two Frenchmen, living east of town, tried to settle their troubles in court. It appears that "Frenchie" drove across "Plam's" farm, and broke down the gates etc. "Frenchie" was supposed to have told "Plam" that it would be necessary for him to make a road across his farm, even over his cellar, so that he could get to town via that route. Lawyer Russell from Red Deer defended the case, and between Lawyer and Justice things were rather interesting for a while. The Justice dismissed the case, but informed "Frenchie" that they would have to pay the costs of the court, which Lawyer Russell refused on behalf of his clients, after which he decided that it was policy to leave H.M. court, and did so, taking his two clients along with him.

## GLENELEN

Haying is the order of the day, with a fair crop, and everyone is carrying a black eye, due to the lightweight pulist (known as the yellow jacket).

Owing to the cool showers of the last two weeks the grain in this district is filling nicely. No frost to speak of.

Mr. Arthur and Oliver Orr and family of Letouche, have been carrying a south half of section 3, T. 26, R. 25, W. 4, known as the "Mason Farm," and are well fixed by way of live stock, having 400 sheep and a bunch of cattle and horses, machinery, etc.

Our creamery still continues to run with a splendid turnout, about 2000 pounds of butter per week, which is an excellent record for a country creamery.

Miss Myra Warke, eldest daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Dr. Warke, who has been attending school at Edmonton, is spending her holidays at her home here, and intends when school opens to return and take up her studies in this city.

Miss Sybil Alford, of Red Deer, is visiting at Mr. Dr. Warke's.

Mr. A. S. Cuddy and Mr. A. McInroy of Edwail, are at R. J. Cuddy's for a short holiday.

Mr. West Turner and Mr. Mayhew, of Hillsdown, are visiting Mr. Ed. Thomas.

Chas. Colston had an early visitor one morning of last week. On investigation he found it to be a coyote, which he soon dispatched with one shot from his trusty Winchester, adding another scalp to his belt.

## MOUNTED POLICE FOR SIBERIA

Regina, Sask., Aug. 18.—Official announcement was made this evening by Commissioner Perry, S.C.M.O., head of the R.N.W.M.P., that the famous riders of the plains will send a unit with the Canadian forces to Siberia. For some few days past rumor has been rife connecting the name of the R.N.W.M.P. with the Canadian expedition to Russia, but it was only today that Commissioner Perry received official instructions from the authorities at Ottawa as to the part this force will play in the Canadian Siberian force.

One hundred and sixty men of all ranks are to be recruited, according to Commissioner Perry, and 180 horses will be attached to the unit. The force will be mobilized at Regina immediately. There will be room for a limited number of recruits, all of whom must be expert horsemen and good shots. A limited number of shooting smiths and saddlers will also be recruited.

## CANADIAN CASUALTIES UNUSUALLY LIGHT IN LATEST OFFENSIVE

IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THEY TOTAL BETWEEN 5,000 AND 6,000, AND ARE LESS THAN THE SOLDIERS TAKEN.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Canadian casualties sustained in the fighting in which the corps has recently participated to its further honor and glory are declared to be surprisingly light. It is estimated that they total between five and six thousand, and are less than the prisoners captured. Viewed from the standpoint of the importance of the gains made and prisoners and booty captured they are in fact lighter by far than any sustained by the Canadian troops in any former engagement of importance. The extensive use of tanks is believed to be largely responsible for this.

For comparison, the second battle of Ypres may be cited which cost the first Canadian division alone 5,000 casualties. The taking of Vimy Ridge cost the Canadian division 10,134; Hill 70, where the Canadian losses were 10,080, and Passchendaele ridge, in the taking of which last autumn the heavy total of 24,530 casualties were sustained.

## UNIQUE CANADIAN ATTACK

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—The following dispatch was received from overseas tonight:

"The sixth day of the battle finds the Canadians penetrating into the German lines to a depth of 15 miles from their starting point, with brisk fighting in progress and the enemy retreating in confusion. The Canadians are nullifying the counter-attacks and pressing ahead. Prisoners are being taken in large numbers. The success of the surprise effect of the whole Canadian operation."

"The Canadian corps participated in a most unique combined co-operation effort of all arms of the service—infantry, artillery, motor machine guns, tanks, cavalry and airplanes—in the history of the war. There was no perfect liaison throughout. The success is an outstanding tribute to the staff work and organization."

"One hour and forty minutes after the taking of St. Eloi, the Canadian field guns had dashed forward and were in action two miles beyond the German front lines. The dash and gallantry of the Canadian infantry, overcoming the perfect alert of machine gun fire is universally praised. The Canadian cavalry unit captured an enemy troop train, containing 27 officers and 600 men just as their entraining was commencing. Accounts of the spectacular courage of individual officers and men are being recounted by hundreds."

## BRITISH CAPTURE ROYE STATION

London, Aug. 19.—British troops to-day captured the railway station at Roze, according to the latest news received this evening from Anglo-French battlefield.

## CHURCH NOTICES

At the Baptist Church next Sunday the Bible school will meet as usual at 11 a.m. In the evening at 7:30 the pastor, Rev. L. E. Brough, will preach on the subject: "Backsliders." No Bible class this week.

At Poplar Ridge next Sunday Rev. Brough will preach on "The leading question." Service at 2:30, Sunday school at 3:30 to 4. All families welcome.

Rev. Brough made a number of calls in the Shady Nook district last week and found many of the people anxious to have a service. One person remarked that it was so long since he had been to church that he felt like a heathen. It does seem pathetic to see our towns and cities with lots of churches while many rural districts have no religious service.

The congregations of the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches will meet for public worship next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Methodist Church and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church. Sabbath schools meet in their own churches at 12:15 o'clock. Mid-week meetings for prayer and Bible study on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Knox Church.

Special meetings will be conducted at the Salvation Army next Sunday, August 25th, bright singing and music. At night Lieutenant Hayward will preach on "Man's duty to God." All are invited to attend.

## EDWELL RED CROSS SEWING CIRCLE

The members of this sewing circle have just forwarded to headquarters at Calgary the following supplies: 22 striped squares, 57 handkerchiefs, 22 personal property bags, 13 wringers, 36 T bandages, 10 many-tailed bandages, 9 amputation dressings—covers, 12 binders, 36 pillow cases, 17 pairs of knitted socks, 10 slings.

(Mrs.) G. POWELL, Secretary.

## EDMONTON EDITOR IN FLIGHT OVER CITY OF LONDON

M. R. JENNINGS OF EDMONTON JOURNAL ONE OF THOSE WHO WAS GIVEN AIR TRIP.

London, Aug. 17.—"The Canadian Journalists have had an opportunity of seeing and testing the part being played by that great service which is giving Great Britain the mastery of the air, and will probably prove one of the deciding factors in the victory of the Allies," according to John Welch, of London, Ont., Farmers' Advocate.

The Canadians proceeded to a great altitude on the outskirts of London, where some of them made a flight over London in a huge bombing airplane, the latest type of which on this occasion made its first practical flight.

Two trips were made by this machine, which carried in its first flight M. R. Jennings, of Edmonton; W. R. McCurdy, of Halifax; Fernand Rinfret, of Montreal, and Hon. Frank Carroll, of Quebec.

They also went up in a smaller machine which only took one passenger.

## CHEER THOSE WHO FLY

W. F. Korr, of Regina, and Noel Chasse of Quebec, were the airmen in two trips, the latter giving an exhibition of fancy flying. The other members of the party who were present, loudly cheered those who took the flight when they came down and showered them with congratulations. Previous to the visit to the airfield, the newspapermen and a few others were entertained to luncheon by Sir George Perley, Canadian high commissioner.

On the second trip the newspapermen who flew were W. C. Nicholl, of Vancouver; Charles Robitaille, of Montreal; Charles Douglas, Toronto; John Weld, of London, Ont., and J. E. Smyth, of Quebec City. The flight lasted 20 minutes and extended in and over London at a speed of 90 miles an hour, the airplane passing over Regent's Park, Hyde Park, and down the Thames to St. Paul's Cathedral and the Tower, where an altitude of 5,000 feet was attained.

## PINE LAKE

We were just saying that we had not had a thunderstorm this year when a good old fashioned one came on. There was hail in places, too, as M. Howell got hailed 30 per cent.

The storm also got some cars slipping, as Mr. Slipp, of Trochu, who was on the hill behind Mr. Herron's shack.

Senator Michener and wife, also N. Michener, and family, are out at the lake for some fishing.

Miss L. Dunlop is visiting at the Lake over Regent's Park, Hyde Park, and down the Thames to St. Paul's Cathedral and the Tower, where an altitude of 5,000 feet was attained.

Miss S. Alford is at Mrs. Warke's and Miss Gladys Alford at Mrs. Pope's.

Miss A. James has left the Lake to take up school teaching at Pridis.

Miss Hayward, late of Innisfail and Bowden is staying at Mrs. Charley's.

There seems to be a number of people after the Gardner place. I wonder who will be the lucky buyer.

Miss Rogers, whose brother is working at J. H. Potters is spending a few days at the Lake.

The blowing up of the dam at the south end of the Lake will not do any good to anybody except lower the level of the Lake, if that is any good. Meanwhile the beaver are busy at it again.

Note, there will be no service at Pine Lake or Edwail on Sunday, August 25th, 1918.

## VETERAN'S PIC-NIC THIS AFTERNOON

The following prizes have been kindly donated by the citizens and business men of the city:

Standard Drug Co., 2 lb. box of Chocolates; Alexander's Meat Market, Goose; Miss Brown, 1 Pop-corn; J. Brazier, 1 Fruit Bowl; J. Fulton, Cap or Shirt; Loves Grocery, 14-doz. Porks; R. B. Wellner, Price value \$3.00; E. G. Johns, 1 small Rug; C. W. Hamilton, 1 Box of Chocolates; Red Deer Grocery, 2 lbs. Boka Coffee; Campbell, Wilson & Horne, 2 lbs Royal Shield Coffee.

Day Hardware Co., 1 Knife; H. J. Snell, per A. B. Mitchell, 1 Box, 1 Writing Set; H. H. Humber, 1 Platino Picture Frame, 1 Bonbon Dish; Gaest-Cornett Drug Co., 1 Box Cigars (25); A. Townsend, 1 Box Cigars (25); Wilson & Teasdale, 1 Picnic Ham; D. McLevin, 1 Razor; W. B. Bellamy, 3 Dessert Spoons; Nova Publishing Co., 1 year's Subscription to The News.

Red Deer Advocate, 1 year's Subscription to The Advocate; J. Malcolm Co., 1 Lead Wooden Commercial Case, 2 Boxes Cigars (100); W. A. Moore, 1 Flashlight; T. A. Gaetz, 1 pair Shoes value \$5.00; Brumpton & Gaetz, Dry Goods to value of \$5.00.

Sports will commence at 3 p.m. Everybody welcome. Don't bring anything with you, the boys are providing everything. Come along and have a good time.

## CITIZENS WILLING TO HELP IN HARVEST.

Harvest is in full swing in the Red Deer district. Farmers need help and the citizens of Red Deer are anxious to help them. H. F. Kenny has offered to act as a medium in getting help organized for those who need it.

Will anyone in the city who can spend a day, or even part of a day, now and then in the harvest fields near by kindly notify Mr. Kenny at 255. It is the intention to organize parties to go out to the fields in autos from time to time.

Also will farmers needing help of this sort or regular paid help, kindly notify Mr. Kenny of their needs. Phone 255.

## MILITARY NOTES

Dick Thompson received the following wire on Monday: "Sincerely regret you that 887799 Joseph Thomas Thompson Infantry officially reported seriously ill three General Hospital, Letropare, August 14, gunshot wound in knee." He joined up with Col. Robinson's battalion, was in the machine gun section, and was wounded once before. He is Mr. Thompson's youngest son.

Mr. Quig has received word that his son, Lieut. Roy Quig, of the Royal Air Force, has reached England safely and has entered upon his duties there at once.

Money Hey, son of J. W. Hey, who is training in England for the Royal Air Force and was in the hospital for a time, is able to be around again.

R. L. Gaetz received word Monday that his son, Corp. John Gaetz, who is in a machine gun section in France, had been admitted to the hospital there suffering from gunshot wound in the nose. No further news was received, but it is presumed the wound was not dangerous.

Lieut. J. A. Carwell, of the Royal Air Force, who recently graduated in that arm of the service, returned on leave from Toronto Wednesday last, expecting a long visit with his parents here. He was, however, recalled on Friday and left at once for an unknown destination.

E. Carwell, Calgary, received a wire yesterday that his son, James Carwell, had been admitted to Midsex War Hospital, Napabury, St. Albans, suffering from gunshot wounds in the right arm and back.

Mrs. Brooks received a wire yesterday that her husband, Pte. Arnold Brooks, had received gunshot wound in the left hand and shoulder, and was in Rouen hospital.

Robert Leathhead, Horn Hill, received a wire yesterday that his son, Pte. John Leathhead, was in Rouen hospital suffering from gunshot wound in the left hand and shoulder.

## ATTEND WHEN INVITED.

London, Aug. 18.—The Sunday Observer says that the permanent overseas ministers of the Dominions will not have the right to attend the war cabinet. They will only do so when specially invited. The chief business reason for the exclusion of the dominion premiers in London this autumn is the economic situation arising out of the war. There are no permanent reasons as to the subject of the subject of imperial preference will have been formulated between representatives of the home and overseas governments.

## RED-CROSS WORK

Returned Aug. 13th.

Mrs. Parker, 24 property bags; Margaret Connell, 1 trench cap, pair slippers, 2 towels; Mrs. Wilkinson, pair socks; Patricia Scott, 2 flannel binders; 10 stretcher caps, 12 property bags, 1 many-tailed bandage; 2nd St. South, apron; Balmoral, 2 pair socks; Balmoral school, 1 scarf; Miss Gould, 2 towels; Mrs. Gould, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Kirkpatrick, 12 pair socks; Mrs. H. Bawthelmer, 4 pair socks; Mrs. F. Wallace, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Edwards, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Field, Edwail, 2 pair socks; Highland Park—10 stretcher caps, 2 shirts, 1 pair sheets, 2 T's, 6 flannel binders, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Geo. 7 pair socks machine knit; Mrs. Berthenson, 1 pair socks, 6 many tailed, 6 pillow slips, 6 suits pyjamas, 2 T bandages, 6 sheets, 6 towels; Mrs. Lowe, 2 amp socks; Miss S. Spillard, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Spillard, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Edwards, 6 sheets, 6 towels; Mrs. Gudmundson, 1 shirt, 3 pair socks; Miss Emma Gudmundson, 1 scarf; Miss Josie Gudmundson, 3 amp socks; Mrs. A. Davison, 5 pair socks, 1 scarf; Mrs. Griffin, 1 pair socks; 3rd, 4th, and 12 St. S.—12 flannel binders; Mrs. W. Cole, 2 suits pyjamas; Mrs. Campbell, 3 amp socks; Mrs. M. Munro, 2 pair socks, 1 amp sock; Mrs. Geo. Harvey, 3 pair socks; Mrs. Campbell, 3 amp socks; Mrs. Reid, 1 pair socks; Mrs. Gilbert, 1 pair socks; Margaret Connell, amp sock, 1 handkerchief, 1 flannel binder, 1 eye bandage; Mrs. Halstead, 1 surgical cap; Mrs. S. Barton, Conard, 2 pair socks; Mrs. Huestis, 6 fomentation wringers; Mrs. Plummer, 2 shirts.

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## WRECK 339 HUN PLANES LAST WEEK

INTENSITY OF AIR FIGHTING MOST FORMIDABLE OF WHOLE WAR.

London, Aug. 17.—Measured by the number of machines engaged, the intensity of the fighting and the magnitude of the losses inflicted on the enemy, the fighting in the air during the week compared to the most formidable of the war.

Some of the most severe conflicts occurred on August 8 in the sector between Albert and the Amiens-Roubaix road, where the German air forces were increased considerably shortly after the opening of the Allied offensive.

The air fighting resulted in the destruction of 48 enemy machines, while 17 others were driven down out of control. Fifty British machines did not return.

TOTAL SCORE 339 FOR WEEK

During the six succeeding days 185 enemy airplanes were destroyed and 89 driven down out of control, making a total of 339 German machines for the week compared to 123 British airplanes missing.

In the same period, British bombing squadrons continually attacked enemy aerodromes, railways and other military objectives, dropping more than 320 tons of bombs, and causing great damage. Low flying scout machines probed the enemy's congested roads of retreat with machine gun fire, inflicting many casualties.

A notable feature of the aerial operations was the virtually continuous night and day bombing of the enemy bridges over the Somme. This greatly hampered the supply and reinforcement of the German troops. The week's work also included number of destructive raids into Germany.

CATTLE FROM SOUTH BEING SHIPPED TO PRINCE ALBERT AREA

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 look, and the lofty aim. He who does  
 not look up looks down; and "as a  
 man thinketh in his heart, so he"  
 If his thoughts are low, his life will  
 be low. To live loftily, one must think  
 loftily.

Well, then, I come to the front to  
 "Stand up to Jesus." He is our anchor  
 in the storms. He supplies the founda-  
 tion that will never shake beneath us  
 when the winds blow and the floods  
 come. For all the creeds and liturgies  
 I would not give a groat; but the per-  
 sonality that inspires us with hope and  
 love and the upward look is every-  
 thing to you and to me.

## THE BITTERNESS OF POLAND.

Before the Germans came, Lodz,  
 another Manchester, was a prosper-  
 ous city of 800,000 and was the seat  
 of a textile industry which supplied  
 the Russian market. Something more  
 than a million spinners were busy.  
 The Czar's government denied polit-  
 ical freedom, but it promoted the pro-  
 sperity of the more enterprising Poles  
 by providing a great market.

Now desolation broods over Lodz.  
 Starvation stalks where once lived its  
 crowded population. But three or  
 four mills are running. The factories,  
 like the factories of Belgium have  
 been stripped of machinery, which  
 has been carried off to Germany.  
 Thousands of workers have been  
 forcibly deported to Germany to work  
 in making munitions. In the old days  
 when a ruthless victor conquered  
 walls were razed and a physical  
 demolition occurred, with salt sown  
 over the site. Germany achieves the  
 same end by laborious methods.  
 Tenanted buildings may be left to  
 crumble through the actions of the  
 elements. To end a rival it is enough  
 to deprive a city of its people's ability  
 to make a livelihood.

The Polish peasant is not forbid-  
 den to till his land, but at harvest  
 time the German locusts descend. So  
 Polish agriculture expires under a  
 burden too great for it to bear. The  
 stretches of land are going back to  
 nature. Wretched old men and women  
 and plucked children fight a losing  
 battle without the aid of the vigor-  
 ous, who are slaves in Germany.  
 Wherever the German foot has  
 fallen comes the same sad story.  
 Never has any people committed  
 crimes equal to those of the last  
 four years. Scientific savagery—how  
 worse is it than that of the red hand.  
 Not if all the Germans worked for a  
 generation to repair the damage they  
 have done, could they restore the  
 world to its former state. There is  
 and can be no adequate reparation  
 even though justice demands it. What  
 Germany has done she has done. The  
 only thing the world can do is to save  
 its future by seeing to it that never  
 again shall any country play so wild  
 beast a part.—London Times.

## LORD RHONDDA'S SACRIFICE

Lord Rhondda died for his country  
 as truly as any man in the trenches.  
 Here is the story of his sacrifice:  
 "Six weeks after the Lusitania  
 tragedy he was asked by Mr. Lloyd  
 George, then just installed as minister  
 of munitions, to re-cross the Atlantic  
 in order to rearrange and coordinate  
 great munition contracts in Canada  
 and the United States. Although  
 knowing that an old heart trouble  
 had been increased by his Lusitania  
 experience, he promptly undertook  
 the task and accomplished it to the  
 great advantage of the country. When  
 Mr. Lloyd George became prime min-  
 ister he asked his old friend to take  
 charge of the local government board.  
 Hesitating on the score of ill-health,  
 Lord Rhondda went to consult a  
 heart specialist. On coming away  
 from that interview he met his friend,  
 and said: 'I have just had my death  
 warrant.' The words were said pluck-  
 ily, in a matter-of-fact way. 'How  
 long do you give me?' he asked the  
 specialist: 'ten years.' 'Without  
 shock his head. 'Five years.' Again  
 the specialist shook his head, and  
 after a pause, said: 'If you live very  
 quietly, without excitement, without  
 hard work, you may live two years—  
 perhaps more, perhaps less, but you  
 must go very, very quietly.' Yet  
 knowing this, Lord Rhondda accepted  
 Mr. Lloyd George's invitation to him  
 to go to the local government board.  
 Later a greater and even more urgent  
 task awaited him. He was asked  
 again by Mr. Lloyd George to rescue  
 the country from a threatening food  
 revolution. Still knowing his own  
 grave danger, and of course conscious  
 of the ever-growing seriousness of  
 the internal trouble, he did not hesi-  
 tate. With courage equal to the best  
 shown on the field of battle, he be-  
 came food controller, and with su-  
 preme patience, skill and driving  
 power he solved a problem that  
 seemed insoluble."

# Wanted!!!

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 phere. It is an aggressive, progressive and constructive atmosphere. It  
 attracts population, invites investment, and has a tendency to make money  
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You can tell the advertising town—the town that has advertising  
 SONS, while it is yet a great way off. The railroad time-table tells you.

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Come, now, let us reason together. Though you have never advertised,  
 give it a trial, and you will meet with success.

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**RED DEER BRANCH,**  
 W. K. WICKENS, Manager.

## WILL CALL STRIKE VOTE AT WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—At the regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council tonight a resolution was unanimously adopted calling upon all affiliated locals "to immediately take a strike vote and on the vote being ascertained, and providing that it is in favor of a strike, a third date will be set and an ultimatum served upon the provincial government, demanding the withdrawal of the injunction issued by the Manitoba court, otherwise all organized labor will cease work."

## JUDGE REFUSES TO GRANT HABEUS CORPUS WRITS

Quebec, Aug. 15.—In the superior court today, Justice Dorion refused to grant seven writs of habeas corpus requested by draftees under the claim that the orders-in-council calling them under the colors were illegal. Justice Dorion said that the orders have been found to be legal by the supreme court of Canada.

## 13,495 CANADIAN BOYS ENGAGED IN AERIAL SERVICE

FORCE MANAGED EXCLUSIVELY BY BOYS FROM THE DOMINION.  
 DISTINCT CORPS NOW ORGANIZED.

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—Unofficially, but from a thoroughly reliable source, the Canadian Press has learned that the total number of Canadians on the strength of the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service, now amalgamated in the Royal Air Force, stands at 13,495. This total comprises 1,008 officers, seconded from the Canadian expeditionary force, 1,640 other ranks discharged from the Canadian expeditionary force, 10,635 enlisted in Canada for R.F.C. and R.N.A.S.; 94 loaned to R.A.F. for aerodrome construction, and 130 civilians who came to England and their own expense and enlisted in the air service.

**THIRD OF OFFICERS CANADIANS**  
 On account of their special adaptability and initiative Canadians proved to be excellent flyers. It is understood that no less than 35 per cent of the actual flying officers in France are Canadians. As it is well known, the flying service has from the outset proved a strong attraction for Canadians and it was the recognition of these outstanding facts that prompted Sir Edward Kemp, on his arrival in England as minister of overseas military forces to institute plans which would ensure Canada receiving both now and after the war her due credit for what her airmen were actually accomplishing. At that time (December), the R.F.C. and the R.N.A.S. were being amalgamated and the enormous work that devolved on the air ministry in the three succeeding months seriously handicapped the Canadian section. It was therefore decided to postpone the accomplishment of definite results now obtained. With the accession of Sir William Weir, now Lord Weir, to the head of the imperial air ministry, rapid progress was made, a series of conferences resulting in the recent agreement being announced on May 28 just previous to the arrival in England of Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues from the front.

It is a well known fact that Canadian flying men for a long time have been extremely desirous to have organized a flying corps to operate in the field as distinctly Canadian, besides looking to the development of the air service after the war. What has now been attained in this regard will provide for a flying corps trained in all branches including organization, administration and technical. Further, every officer to be connected with the administration of the Canadian Air Force, from the most senior to the most junior ranks, has had active service flying experience at the front.

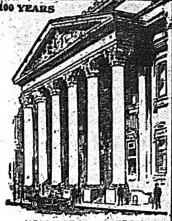
**PRELIMINARY STEPS.**  
 The preliminary step in the early discussions relating to the establishment of a separate Canadian air force resulted in the decision of the imperial air ministry to maintain up to date records of the Canadians in the Royal Air Force, their names to be grouped in a special Canadian section to include not only Canadian officers seconded from the Canadian overseas forces, but also those Canadians who joined the air service direct, either in England or in Canada. The idea of Canadians in the Royal Air Force having a special Canadian distinguishing mark on their uniforms was assented to and it was agreed that the Canadian overseas ministry would be furnished with regular reports by the air ministry giving information of the exploits of Canadian airmen from month to month. These steps of progress towards the ultimate goal were announced by Sir Edward Kemp in May, and at the same time it was learned unofficially that the imperial air authorities had assented to the principle set forth in the Canadian overseas minister's policy for the organization of a Canadian flying corps. In administration, but forming part of the Royal Air Force, for the purpose of operations in the field.

**EXCLUSIVE CANADIAN FORCE**  
 On arrival in England of the Canadian prime minister, Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues, Sir Edward Kemp was enabled to lay before them the agreement which the air ministry had reached, and the further consent of the air ministry that Canadian air force should be formed, to be manned and officered exclusively by Canadians drawn from Canada. The Canadian overseas ministry, who would be trained in the R.A.F. schools and under their instruction. Entire acceptance was expressed of Sir Edward Kemp's scheme by his colleagues and the agreement approved. As a preliminary step in the organization, the services of the distinguished officer, Major W. A. Bishop, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., D.F.C., was applied for to work in close conjunction with the air ministry and the Canadian overseas ministry.

It was decided to proceed immediately with the preliminary organization of two Canadian squadrons, which would form part of the overseas military forces of Canada and be subject to the provisions of the militia act of Canada.

PRICE OF COAL GOES UP AT WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—The price of all grades of coal in Winnipeg was increased today. Soft coal will cost 75 cents per ton more and hard coal will be advanced 85 cents per ton. The raise is attributed to increased freight rates.

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## SUMMER STORMS

THE WHOLE SUBJECT OF THUNDERSTORMS IS VERY OBSCURE.

July and August are the favorite months for thunder. This may be because by the beginning of the month a considerable amount of heat has been accumulated. In the play between the colder air above and the heat of the earth beneath, an extra amount of electricity is generated. This, added to the quantity which always exists in the earth and sky, provides the material for a combat between these two great but little understood forces which find their lodgment in the clouds and on the earth. When the two sources are overcharged there is a collision between them. The whole subject of thunderstorms, however, is very obscure.

Sir Oliver Lodge not long ago proposed to control the weather by taking advantage of the existence of these two electrical forces in the air. He said that by sending up a kite charged with positive electricity it would be possible to produce dry weather, a kite charged with negative electricity would bring forth rain. This, however, has not been done yet, and rain, like lightning and thunder, remains a mystery.

What is thunder? What is lightning? How are they produced? What precisely are their dangers and how may these be avoided?

When, owing to various causes, some by no means clear, the clouds become saturated with electricity, they must discharge the surplus somehow. So they let it out on the portion of the earth's surface immediately below them. The cloud's electricity is of positive sort, the earth's negative. The two come into contact with a loud explosion, accompanied by the flash which we call lightning, or forked lightning, or sheet lightning, or fireballs, or globular lightning. Forked lightning, or the familiar zig-zag form is caused by the flash encountering different currents of air, which offer various degrees of resistance. If you move a stick through the water of a swiftly running stream, you will find it difficult to make the stick describe a straight line; it will slip aside and waver here and there. Lightning does the same thing as it descends through the air. Sheet lightning is the illumination of a large part of the sky by a distant

storm. In that case you hear no thunder, and the lightning is quite harmless. On fine summer nights you will often see magnificent exhibitions of sheet lightning. The whole neighborhood is brilliantly lit, and for an instant the houses and trees acquire a strange, weird distinctness. Globular lightning is very uncommon, fortunately, for it is extremely dangerous. The terrific noise we call thunder is due to violent motions of the air. When great heat has been generated by the electricity, all the colder air in the neighborhood rushes to a place in furious currents, making a vast commotion. Sometimes, indeed, two thunderstorms may be found going on at once. The thunder, of course perfectly harmless; it is the lightning that does the damage.

When out of doors you are overtaken by a thunderstorm, with heavy rain, it is, of course, natural to seek shelter. It may be that the nearest shelter is a tree, and you rush for this, however, is a very dangerous refuge. The negative electricity of the earth is apt to accumulate round the top of the tree, and when the positive charge in the cloud comes down to meet the negative charge the former will make for the tree by the nearest path—possibly the tree. The tree, however, is not such a good conductor of lightning as you are, and the lightning may very well make its path to the earth through you. Far better to stay out in the open and get wet than seek shelter under a tree. Curiously, enough, however, a wood is a safe place in which to shelter, provided you keep a few feet away from the trunk of the nearest tree. An umbrella is a dangerous thing to have in one's hands, because the steel is a good conductor of electricity. A cyclist is in considerable danger, and even a golfer may find that his club leads to catastrophe.—Montreal Family Herald.

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Jap Matting Suit Case, 16x24, with leather reinforced corners; a very neat case; Reg. \$2.50, For only \$1.85  
 Jap Matting Suit Case, 10x14; Regular \$1.85 for only \$1.35  
 3 only, Jap Matting Bags, large size; Regular \$1.50, for only \$1

Buy one before they are all gone. It will be mighty useful.

## You Could Use One of These

6 only, Jap Rag Mats for bedroom and bathroom, in red, blue and brown, 54x30; Regular \$4.00, for only \$3.30  
 5 only, Mats, 45x28; Regular \$3.00, For only \$2.20

These mats will wash well and wear longer than any other kind.

## Get a Big Dog for 1.60

Big Dogs, suitable for door holder, with glass eyes, very well made, only 6 of them; Regular \$2.25, for \$1.60

## Feathers for Your Fall Hat

Now ladies! here is a great chance to get feathers for your fall hat at only, each 25c.  
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This was a line that it was impossible to get in Red Deer before at the price we now offer them.

## Ladies' Vests only 25c.

1 dozen only, Ladies Vests, sizes 32, 34 and 40, at only 25c.

## Children's Stockings 35c pair

Children's Stockings, a few dozen only, at pair, only 35c.

Shopping Bags For only 15c.

A nice line of Statues, representing famous authors and musicians, at only 20c.

9 only, Tennis Racquets; Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, at only, each 65c.

## TEAPOTS 25c

Teapots, 6-cup size Each 25c.

## You Would Like This Kettle

Aluminum Tea Kettle, mirror Style, Reg. \$7.75, for only \$6.25

This kettle is guaranteed by the maker and if not entirely satisfactory we will refund your money or give you another kettle.

School Bags, waterproof, will stand hard wear, at 25 to 65

## Rubber Rings 5c per dozen

Rubber Rings for Sealers, at per doz. 5c.

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Glass Fruit Set, 7 pieces—8 inch bowl and 6 nappies, at only \$1

Jelly Glasses with cover, heavy glass, Per dozen \$1

## Buy Right Now

This sale of Dinnerware is emphasized by saving opportunities of the highest character, since the prices on these goods have risen—and will continue to rise—out of all proportion to the prices here quoted. It is a wonderful chance for thrifty housewives.

The famous Lonsdale Dinnerware, green decoration, 97 pieces; Regular \$35.00, For only \$22.50

A pretty line of Dinnerware, violet decoration; Regular \$35.00, for only \$22.50  
 Half set, \$14.00.

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Introductory Dinner Set, 21 pieces—6 cups and saucers, 6 dinner plates, cream jug, bowl or open sugar—to be chosen from any of our dinnerware patterns, at only \$6.25  
 This will enable you to start a nice dinner set.

34 pieces of Green Decoration Dinnerware, comprising 6 cups and saucers, 6 bread and butter plates, sugar and cream, and a big salad bowl. For only \$3.95

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2 only, Japanese Tea Sets, comprising 6 cups and saucers, sugar bowl, cream jug, tea pot. For only \$2.75

Japanese Tea Set, rosebud decoration, 6 cups and saucers, 6 bread and butter plates, sugar bowl, cream jug, 6-cup size teapot; was \$8.00. For only \$5.75

12-inch Cake Plate, pretty floral decoration. Regular 65c., for only 40c.

Dinnerware, of green medallion decoration, a beauty for the money; 97 pieces for \$18.50  
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JNO. A. BARNES, Editor and Proprietor.

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"The Albertan (Calgary) cannot understand why the government was not content to permit a man with the principles and ideas and unquestioned ability of Mr. Galbraith to go unopposed. It could rest assured that he would support progressive legislation, and that when he opposed any measure that it would be well to give it further consideration."

### THE NEW MIDDLE CLASS.

There is need today for a new type of middle class in the national life. Major W. L. Grant, principal of Upper Canada College, Toronto, who is visiting the Western Canadian cities, made this inference clear in his recent address before the Canadian club. He saw danger in uncontrolled class influence. Both reactionary capitalism and unchecked Bolshevism were a menace to the state. "Get your system above the present political levels," he urged. Education, he affirmed, was the greatest need of Canada. That would make the controlling factor in the midst of the three estates of the realm, which he defined—note the revision—as capital, labor, and government.

The idea is one that ought to command serious consideration. Extremes are dangerous. The present time affords an exceptional opportunity for the study of these movements which have hitherto had the support and advocacy of different classes. Both monarchy and democracy, free from proper control, tend to despotism. The nation divided destroys itself. It was the rise of the sober-minded well-balanced, neither poor nor rich, middle class that saved Britain in the earlier stages of its history. The middle class has fewer ends to serve than either the aristocrat or the proletariat. They are more interested for that reason in the good of the country. Real patriotism and national spirit was fostered most by the middle classes.—Winnipeg Free Press.

### SITUATION CHANGES; PROSPECTS BETTER.

From reports received by the United Grain Growers, conditions in the north country from Peace River crossing south to Edmonton, and along the main line of the C.N.R. towards the Saskatchewan boundary, are much more satisfactory than was at one time anticipated.

A considerable proportion of the crop will be threshed for milling purposes, and quite a lot of feed grain will be harvested. The balance of the acreage will cut for forage, and as the yield was heavy and the price will be from \$10 to \$12 a ton, the farmers therefore will realize a lot of money from that source, and the southern country where the grain was either a failure from drought, or at any rate too short to make much straw, will get what they urgently require in the shape of winter cattle and horse feed. The banks are showing a disposition to help in every way possible farmers who can give any security for advances necessary to carry on during the present fall, in present crop, and areas of land for the next year's crop, and the outlook all round is decidedly encouraging.

### DOUBLE LINE OF WARSHIPS IN FLEET 17 MILES LONG.

London, Aug. 15.—Lord Burmah, proprietor of the London Daily Telegraph last night gave dinner to the Dominion newspaper men who have been

visiting Great Britain. Cordial speeches congratulating the Dominion press services to the empire were delivered. R. L. Richardson, M.P. for Winnipeg, said that the press of Canada was daily growing more independent, standing all the time for the old country.

Mr. Richardson said that the men from the overseas Dominions were almost appalled at what they saw of the efforts of the British people in the war.

They had witnessed a succession of miracles from Verdun, to the grand fleet, with its 17 miles double line of warships.

## ENEMY LOSSES TO DATE TOTAL UP 6,000,000

### AGGREGATE INCLUDES KILLED, WOUNDED AND MISSING FOR ENTIRE PERIOD

Paris, Aug. 16.—The total of German losses from the beginning of the war to the end of July, 1918, are understood to be 6,000,000, according to morning newspapers.

The figures include 1,400,000 killed up to the beginning of the German offensive last March. From March 27 to June 17 the Germans are said to have lost 120,000 killed alone.

### HUN MANPOWER DWINDLING.

With the French Army in France, Aug. 15.—Germany has acknowledged that her manpower, once so freely vaunted, is dwindling in proportion great enough apparently to cause considerable anxiety to the high command.

The total number of prisoners taken, particularly in recent fighting, by the allied armies and the prospect of being confronted by ever-growing German forces, has caused the German high command to issue most imperative orders for a vigorous, immediate combat in the German army in order to recover from auxiliary units all men capable of entering the trenches.

### TEXT OF ORDER SIGNIFICANT

"In the combat" says the order issued by General Ludendorff, "the consideration will be given to men over 43 who have served in the front lines longer than six months."

He announced that the commissions have been appointed to investigate the entire situation, including men of every rank and man available for the industry must be sent to the depots in Belgium, the special purpose of the high command being to get more infantry reserves.

Appended to the order are special instructions to Field Marshal von Mackensen and General von Scholtz to make "a greater demand upon the local personnel" instead of using Germans in the auxiliary services as reinforcements.

### BOLSHEVIKI JUSTICE.

The Result of Brute Force on the Ignorant Populace

A member of the American military control in Petrograd told me of the following incident as he had witnessed it. A woman dashed into the street after a boy of fifteen. "He's stolen my pocketbook!" she cried. A miserable shrieking urchin sped madly down the road in front of her. He was caught by a passerby, and a crowd gathered. Blow upon blow fell upon the defenceless head. Childlike shrieks of terror filled the air. The woman, appalled at what she had done, rushed back to the house. Again she made a desperate search, and suddenly in a dark corner she unearthed the missing pocket book. Again she dashed into the street, waving her property and calling loudly for her mistake. But it was too late; the childish cries were still; a beaten and lifeless body had just been hurled into the canal. Sick shame seized the mob. Then the woman came, telling her story. Rage filled their hearts. Under the car they had been mercilessly beaten and abused. Brute force had been their instructor. They turned to the missing pocket book, and to the method they knew. They beat her to death and dropped her into the canal. —Madeline Z. Doty in the July Atlantic.

## WANT 3,000,000 AMERICANS IN FRANCE IN 1919

PROGRAM WILL BE CARRIED OUT

ISSUE TO BE FORCED AND WAR WON ON THE WEST FRONT SAYS GENERAL MARCH.

Washington, Aug. 15.—In reporting the administration manpower bill extending draft ages today, Chairman Chamberlain disclosed to the senate that General March, chief of staff, had told the military committee it was up to the United States to put enough men in France with the war on the west front. The report revealed that the new American war program calls for 30 divisions, or something over 3,000,000 men in France by June 30 next year, with 18 more divisions in training at home.

All the men called for active service under the proposed new draft ages, would be in France by next June, according to program.

Secretary of War Baker informed the committee the report said that the president's policy called for concentration of American forces on the western front, including Italy, and that "the theory of the fighting in the future is that we must force the issue and win on the western front."

Immediate extension of the draft ages was declared by the army representatives to be imperative in order that the United States may throw its full strength into the struggle.

### BIG PROGRAM IS ASKED FOR

In his report Chairman Chamberlain quoted extensively from testimony before the committee by Secretary Baker, General March, and Provost Marshal General Crowder. "The United States," said Gen. March, "has been asked by her allies to embark upon a program so large that it was necessary very carefully to ascertain whether we could go through with it or not, and one of the features of the enlarged program was providing men."

The desire of the administration is to establish limits, both maximum and minimum, which will accord with the program and at the same time disorganize industry as little as possible.

Gen. March told the committee that he was unqualifiedly in favor of having the army composed of as young men as possible. Young men between 18 and 26, he said, not only do not have many accumulations, but they are better off physically.

### CENTRE ON WEST FRONT.

"The president," said Gen. March, "has announced that the American military policy from this time on is centered on the west front and we have declined to be diverted from that one thing. The war department has now adopted this as its policy."

"The purpose of America is to furnish enough man power to whip the Germans from now on. The only way that Germany can be whipped is by America going into this thing with her whole strength. If we drag along and put a small force over there we will be playing Germany's game."

"It is my belief that with an American army of 4,000,000 men in France under one commander in chief, we can go through the German line wherever we please."

"This law," the general added, "will let me keep on classifying men of next year. We reached the conclusion that the enlarged program was necessary on July 30."

Secretary Baker explained the steps that led up to the change in the military program.

### MUST CHANGE AGE LIMITS

"After the age of congress," the secretary said, "the study of the situation went on and a few days ago it became clear to us that the 30 divisions program was perhaps the maximum which we could possibly hope to accomplish."

"The bill as it is written meets with my entire approval," declared Secretary Baker.

### THE BOTTOM RUNG OF THE LADDER

German Brutality Beyond All Characterization.

The German bombing of the British hospitals in France is an act in regard to which ordinary language fails. The sweeping of the beds of the wounded by machine gun fire, and the ruthless killing of the devoted nurses and attendants who remained at their duty, is an abomination which seems to remove the German from the pale of humanity. Amid its horrors the one redeeming feature is the heroism of the women who refused to desert their posts and met death wounds along with the helpless men who lay on their beds. The real brutality beyond characterization. Throughout the war the airmen have been insistent in imputing chivalrous conduct to one another, and have paid honors to their fellows, even of German race, who have fallen. An incident such as that which is recorded this morning may well shake a faith which has survived many shocks. It would be regretful to all feelings to give honors of war to the men who have deliberately taken part in an outrage of so gross and callous a kind.—Westminster Gazette.

## CZECH NO LONGER IS REGARDED AS ENEMY

ALL ALLIES ENEMIES OVER THE AGE OF 16 NOW REQUIRED TO REGISTER

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—All alien enemies over the age of 16 years are now required to register under the alien regulations. Previously the regulations required only aliens of enemy nationality of military age, and not having permanent place of residence abroad in Canada, to register.

Existing alien regulations also require all registered aliens including certain classes of enemy nationality who are considered as hostile to friendly aliens in fact, to report monthly to the chief officer of police. By order-in-council it is now deemed expedient that certain of these friendly aliens, namely Czechs or members of the Bohemian national alliance, Turkish subjects who are by race Greeks, Armenians, Assyrians, or other countries, be exempted from this obligation at the discretion of the chief commissioner of police. The new regulations provide also that all ticket agents and conductors of railway or steamship companies, or other officers, shall refuse to sell tickets or to issue any other documents to any alien of enemy nationality who does not produce certificate of parole with notice of permission to travel from one point to another. The chief officer of police may refuse permission to any alien to depart from any place unless established that he has complied with the law requiring every male person to be regularly engaged in some useful occupation.

**VON BOEHM, NEW HUN COMMANDER SACKED LOUVAIN**  
 French Headquarters in France, Aug. 15.—The successor of Gen. von Mudra, who commanded the first army in the attack on Gen. Crowder's army in the Champagne last month, apparently is Gen. von Carlvitz, a Saxon, who has been minister of war in Dresden, and who has distinguished himself in leading a Saxon army corps in the offensive of this year.

Gen. von Boehm, who commands the new army group recently formed, commanded the third corps, which helped to sack Louvain. He is credited with saving the German army after Gen. Hantig's attack on July 18, but has been forced to accept the chief responsibility for such failures as that of the battle of Malmesbury last fall and the retreat of the Marne this spring.

### SOCKS FOR SOLDIERS IN THE TRENCHES

Report of I. O. D. E. committee on socks for soldiers in the trenches.

The following fifty-seven pairs of socks were knit and returned between July 15 and August 13, and forwarded to St. John's Working Committee, at Edmonton:

Mrs. McClelland—7 pairs.  
 Mrs. Graves—5 pairs.  
 Mrs. Brumpton—4 pairs.  
 Mrs. McClelland—3 pairs.  
 Mrs. Pamel—3 pairs.  
 Mrs. Cotton—3 pairs.  
 Mrs. Clutterbuck—3 pairs.  
 Mrs. Horn—3 pairs.  
 Mrs. Metcalf—2 pairs.  
 Mrs. Dorrance—2 pairs.  
 Mrs. Roney—2 pairs.  
 Mrs. Jorgensen—2 pairs.  
 Mrs. Huesse—2 pairs.  
 Miss Mabel Penfold—1 pair.  
 Mrs. Mothes—1 pair.  
 Mrs. Pennington—1 pair.  
 Mrs. Card—1 pair.  
 Secretary Baker explained the steps that led up to the change in the military program.

Mrs. England—1 pair.  
 Mrs. T. A. Gaetz—1 pair.  
 Mrs. D. T. McElbee—1 pair.  
 Mrs. W. A. Moore—1 pair.  
 Mrs. J. McLeannan—1 pair.  
 Mrs. Boyd—1 pair.  
 Mrs. Millman—1 pair.

Donations  
 Sir Christopher Craddock Chapter—1000.  
 Mrs. Hammond—1 pair socks.

The chapter would be glad to receive names and addresses of soldiers in the trenches in France from anyone who is knitting for St. John's Working Committee.

FLORENCE LANDSAY, Convener.

### GRASSY LAKE RED CROSS

The financial statement of the Grassy Lake Red Cross Sewing Circle from March 1, 1918, to July 31, is as follows:

Receipts  
 March 1, 1918, balance in hand \$11.86  
 March members' fees ..... 5.00  
 May 2, Mr. Bromley ..... 5.00  
 April members' fees ..... 3.50  
 Mrs. Halliday ..... 1.00  
 May members' fees ..... 6.50  
 Mrs. Halliday, ar. .... 10  
 The women members' fees ..... 50  
 Travellers' meal ..... 50  
 July 17, Pie. A. C. Rakes ..... 25.00  
 July 17, Lieut. H. Rakes ..... 25.00  
 H. M. Field ..... 40.00  
 S. Wyndham, sharpening scissors for R. C. G. .... 1.00  
 July members' fees ..... 9.50

Total ..... \$114.95

Expenditures  
 May 23, Prisoners of War Fund \$ 7.50  
 May 23, sent to Calgary Red Cross donation ..... 30.00  
 June 26, Prisoners of War Fund ..... 75.00  
 July 20, sent to Calgary Red Cross donation ..... 5.00  
 July 22, Prisoners of War Fund ..... 6.50  
 July 22, sent to Calgary Red Cross donation ..... 25.00  
 July 25, Dominion Express Co., express on R. C. parcel ..... 40  
 July 31, balance on hand ..... 22.95

Total ..... \$164.45  
 ETHEL KENDREW, Treasurer.

### COST OF LIVING IS UP ABOUT 300 PER CENT. IN AUSTRIA.

Amsterdam, Aug. 15.—A deputation representing 200,000 state employees has presented a demand to the Austrian government for a fifty per cent increase in the present war bonus. This demand is based upon the claim that the cost of living in 1918 is from 100 to 300 per cent higher than in 1917.

### VACANT LOT AWARDS

The Judges—Mr. Joseph Cole and Mr. E. S. Hogg—scored about forty gardens in the Vacant Lot competition of the Red Deer Horticultural Society. There were about one hundred vacant lots in all cultivated this year.

### Vegetable Garden on New Breaking

Points  
 Mrs. Mary Makavichia, 3rd St. E. W. .... 63  
 J. T. Victoria Ave. .... 61  
 S. Robinson, 4th St. N.E. .... 47  
 Mrs. L. McDougall, Parkville .... 46  
 Vegetables Garden Previously Cultivated (Open to Non-Experts)  
 Mrs. G. G. 6th St. N.E. .... 75  
 Mr. Mike Reidy, Poplar St. .... 72  
 Madame Le Saunier, 5th St. N. .... 71  
 Mrs. F. Gordon, 5th St. N. .... 71

Vegetable Garden, Open  
 Thomas Hodgson, Vancouver Ave. .... 84  
 Richard Castle, Victoria Ave. .... 78  
 D. M. Wright, Parkville .... 78  
 J. S. Asherwood, 4th St. N.E. .... 78

### DEATH OF MR. RICHARD HOGG

Mr. Richard Hogg, father of Mr. E. S. Hogg, deputy sheriff, died at his farm adjoining Delburne on Wednesday at the age of 71. Mr. Hogg had been in poor health for over a year. Mrs. Hogg has not been well either but is some better at present.

Mr. Hogg was a mechanical engineer by profession, born in Derbyshire, England, whence he came to Canada. His first work being to instruct C.T.R. of coal in the locomotives. Then he went west to the oilfields of western Ontario which were his home until he came to Alberta in 1903, and took up land at Delburne, where he has since lived.

Mr. Hogg was an unusually well-informed man, a great lover of Macaulay, a staunch Liberal of the school, and warmly interested in all public questions. Prior to the Union victory of December, Mr. Hogg had sided with the Liberals once and that was in 1896 when he believed that the Roman Catholics of Manitoba were guaranteed separate schools under the constitution, and voted accordingly.

The family remains are Mrs. Hogg, who is of U. B. Loyalist stock; two daughters—Mrs. Cowan, Detroit, and Mrs. Hogg, who is of U. B. Loyalist stock; two sons—Solomon, Queenstown, Alberta; Col. Wm. Hogg, Delburne, and E. S. Hogg, Red Deer.

### GREAT WORK OF TANKS CANNOT BE EXAGGERATED.

London, Aug. 15.—The important part played by the tanks, both large and small, in the offensive that started Aug. 8, hardly can be exaggerated. Their presence on the battle line made possible the economizing of the infantry arm and thus the allies were enabled to attack on a broader front and with fewer soldiers afoot than ever before.

The rapid success in the offensive is attributed by military observers to the combined attacks of the tanks, aircraft and infantry. In illustrating this fact, when the Germans at one point scattered in the corn and wheat fields, where they hid and tried to hold the advance, allied armor immediately reported the situation to the tanks. These armored and self-propelled machines soon cleared the grain fields and the infantry then pressed forward.

### MINNESOTA LAWYERS LOSE GOWNS FOR DISLOYALTY

Parbault, Minn., Aug. 15.—James A. Peterson, of Minneapolis, and Alexander Pfander, former city attorney at New Ulm, Minn., have been formally expelled from the Minnesota Bar association, which is in annual convention here. Alleged disloyalty was given as the reason for the expulsion.

Pfander made an address at New Ulm some months ago in which he criticized the government's war policy. Peterson was convicted of having made unpatriotic utterances, and faced a sentence in the federal prison. Peterson was an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator in the June primaries.

### MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF PINE LAKE, No. 339

## SOLDIERS AND SAILORS Remission of Taxes

The undersigned would be glad to receive the names of all persons, who own property within the Municipal District of Pine Lake, No. 339, (old I. D. No. 339), who have enlisted or joined the Army or Navy of any of the Allied forces, giving date of enlistment or joining, and, if subsequently discharged, the date of discharge, in the case of a deceased person, the date of death.

This information is required by the Council of the above Municipal District, with a view to some action being taken, and caused Municipal Taxes against the property of the persons in question.

It is requested that the names and full particulars be sent in not later than NOON, August 31, 1918.

By order,  
 J. W. HBY,  
 Secretary-Treasurer,  
 Municipal District of Pine Lake, No. 339,  
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Hot House Tomatoes, per lb	40c
B.C. Outdoor grown Tomatoes, per basket	60c
Cucumbers, large size,	2 for 25c
Vegetable Marrows, per lb	5c
Cabbage, per lb	6c
New Potatoes, 7 lbs. for	25c
Cooking Onions 4 lbs. for	25c
Carrots, 3½ lbs. for	25c

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Evaporated Pears per lb	25c
Evaporated Apricots	35c
Evaporated Apples per lb	30c
Cooking Figs, 2 lbs	35c
Eating Figs, per packet	20c
Cooking Raisins, 2 lbs	35c
Seedless Raisins, 1½ oz. packet	20c
Seeded Raisins, 12 oz. packet	15c
Tapoca and Sago, per lb	20c
No. 1 Japan Rice, 2 lb. for	25c
Pot Barley, per lb	10c
Pearl Barley, 2 lbs. for	25c
Split Peas	2 lbs. for 35c
Green Dried Peas, 2 lbs. for	35c
Lima Beans, per lb	20c
Small White Beans, 2 lb. for	35c
Large Speckled Beans, per lb	15c
Canned Tomatoes, 2 for	45c
Canned Peas, 2 for	35c
Canned Corn	each 20c
4 lb. pail Strawberry Jam	\$1.10
4 lb. pail Raspberry Jam	\$1.10
4 lb. pail Blackcurrant Jam	\$1.10
4 lb. pail Gooseberry or Plum Jam	95c
4 lb. pail Empress Marmalade	85c
4 lb. pail Glasco Marmalade	95c
4lb. pail Compound Jam	75c
No. 2 tin Libby's sliced Pineapple	30c
No. 2 tin Libby's grated Pineapple	35c
No. 7 tin Libby's sliced Pineapple	20c
No. 1 tin Libby's Apricots, Pears or Peaches	30c
8 lb sack Rolled Oats	85c
20 lb sack Rolled Oats	\$1.40
40 lb sack Rolled Oats	\$2.75
Tube of Rolled Oats	30c
10 lb. Corn Meal	30c
10 lb. Rye Flour	85c
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Our Stock of Auto Accessories is now quite complete. We are adding to it continually, and furthermore, we can save you money. Agents for DOMINION and FIRESTONE TIRES.

## HEATING DEPARTMENT

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For the last year we have been ready to open a Tinsmithing and Heating Department, and we have had several applications, but on the principle that we must have the best in the business (in any department) we have "marked time" to date, and are now pleased to announce that Mr. N. N. BURNETT, of Calgary, is going to associate himself with us in this Department.

Mr. Burnett is a competent and practical mechanic with splendid business experience, and we are sure our customers will be pleased with this new connection, and addition to our Hardware Store which becomes operative September 1st, prepared to do all kinds of Heating, Plumbing and Tinsmithing.







## LIST OF FAIR DATES

The following fair dates for the present year were recommended by the Fair Committee and adopted—  
 Coronation, August 21-22.  
 Lamont, August 22.  
 Yegerville, August 23-24.  
 Big Valley, August 24.  
 Bluffton, August 25-26.  
 Manyberries, August 26.  
 Tabor, August 27-28.  
 Fort Saskatchewan, September 4-5.  
 Innisfail, September 5-6.  
 Mannville, September 10.  
 Vermilion, September 11-12.  
 Lloydminster, September 13-14.  
 Klacoty, September 17.  
 Telford, September 18.  
 Holden, September 19.  
 Vining, September 20.  
 Walworth, September 24-25.  
 St. Albert, September 26-27.  
 Leduc, September 27-28.  
 Ponoka, September 18-19.  
 Aik, September 29.  
 Bashaw, September 24.  
 Hays (Louisana), September 24-25.  
 Consort, September 25-26.  
 Gadsby, September 27.  
 Cochrane, September 27-28.  
 Innisfail, September 18-19.  
 Bowden, September 21.  
 Oids, September 24-25.  
 Didsbury, September 26-27.  
 Milnerton, October 1.  
 Trochu, October 2-4.  
 Rocky Mountain H's, September 23-24.

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## FLYING AFTER THE WAR

The old hymnal used to ask in all seriousness: "Shall we ever be able to fly?" The progress of aviation has answered the question in the affirmative. We not only shall be, we are.

The thousands who have watched the flying of Lieut. Neal from the Big City Club in the last few days have been wondering anew about the use of aircraft after the war. There will then be tens of thousands of aviators, and thousands of planes, and numerous factories equipped for the production of planes and motors. With such a condition there is bound to be a great development of flying. How far will this development go?

The development of the motor car is sometimes compared with the development of the airplane, and it is suggested that just as motoring in the early days was hazardous and engaged in by only a few persons, and later became almost universal, so there will be a corresponding growth in flying. Instead of going out in the car in the evening to go off, the family will get out the airplane and fly to Topeka and back after dinner.

These speculations are fascinating, but lead to exaggeration. Flying is bound to be more or less hazardous. The average motor car driver recalls how often he has made errors in driving that were inexcusable. He has started with the brakes on, or he has tried to make a hill on "high" and got into trouble, or he has let the water in the radiator get low and has found his motor sizzling. The results were not serious. He was on ground, and if he could not go on, at least he could stop without damage. The aviator faces a much more serious situation. A mistake may be fatal. A few weeks ago a skillful Italian aviator started from the ground at too steep an angle. When he was fifty feet up his machine stalled, just as an automobile might on too steep a hill. But the worst of the automobile could be worked to back down the hill. The airplane fell to the ground and the driver was killed. So far as can be ascertained, the lamentable death of Major Mitchell the other day resulted from forgetting to fasten the strap that held him in. Occasionally a person's mind slips a cog. In motoring such a slip may be unpleasant. In flying it may be disastrous.

It may be set down as certain that only a small percentage of persons who drive automobiles have the necessary qualities to make them successful aviators.

That does not mean that there will not be a great expansion in the use of airplanes. There are large numbers of persons who can fly with safety. They can use planes for various purposes. The mail route from Washington to New York is now operating successfully and at moderate cost. There ought to be a great development in the air post. It will be useful where large numbers of important letters require speedy transportation and in inaccessible districts, such as in Alaska and in mountainous regions.

The airplanes may take the place of the special train for persons who wish to reach a destination in a hurry. It now takes a business man twenty hours to go from Chicago to New York. He might go in eight hours in an airplane. It is quite possible that regular airplane routes might be operated between important business centers.

Finally, there will undoubtedly be a development of the airplane for sport. There are enough men and women with the requisite qualities of mind and body to permit flying to become a recognized means of recreation; by no means on the scale of motoring, but like yachting.

In order that these developments should be possible it will be necessary to provide landing fields every few miles on the recognized air routes. There is always the possibility that something may go wrong with the motor and that the aviator may have to glide down to land. He is all right if he has a place to land. Orville Wright figures that there should be a place to land every fifteen miles. It is possible at a height of a mile, at which most flying would be done, to coast with a dead engine about seven and a half miles. If there were a field every fifteen miles, well marked, the aviator would always be taken care of in the event of engine trouble.

With the interest that will be taken in aviation, there ought to be no difficulty in building up air routes with the necessary fields. Air, indeed, the Dayton enthusiasts were at work on such a plan before the outbreak of the war—Kansas City Star.

## UTTER RUIN IS IN TRACKS OF DEFEATED HUNS

FRENCH MINISTER OF FINANCE FINDS HIS CHATEAU DESTROYED

Paris, Aug. 14.—Premier Clemenceau and Minister of Finance Klotz, during their visit to the battle front inspected at length the frightful destruction of the towns of the Somme. The towns were razed for the possession of Montdidier and Moreuil.

Minister Klotz then visited his chateau at Arancourt, not far from Montdidier, and found it in ruins. In addition to destroying the building the Germans had damaged or wrecked all its contents. The minister obtained as a souvenir an enemy machine gun that had been operated in a battery from his park.

Premier Clemenceau and Minister Klotz discussed the military situation with Marshal Foch and Generals Pétain, Sumbert, Debeny and Rawlinson.

With the French Army in France, Aug. 14.—A fearful spectacle of ruin is spread out along a great sweep of rolling pasture land behind Boulogne, Calais and Dunkirk, southeast of Montdidier. There the enemy is continuing his desperate resistance. Hordes of German dead lie on the ground, and the fields, formerly green, are now torn up and strewn with masses of debris.

The spirit of the French troops is superior in the front line for several days they have undergone great hardships in their advance of ten kilometers through a field swept by machine gun fire. The enemy's tactics are intended to deter the French until the main German forces can withdraw, but great stocks of ammunition and war material of all kinds are being left as the Germans retreat.

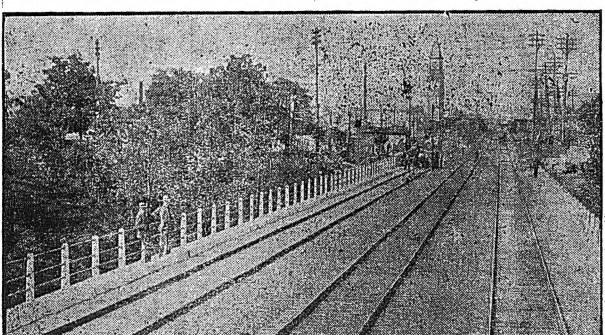
BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK.

London, Aug. 14.—A British torpedo boat destroyer was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean on August 6. Seven of the destroyer's crew were lost. The admiralty made this announcement on Tuesday.

POLICE OFFICER SHOT BY DRAFTEE AT BLACK LAKE

Sherbrooke, Que., August 14th.—Provost Marshal Dea Rochers, who is here in connection with the arrest of Private Henry Randall for shooting Alvin Picard, a draftee at Winlow, reports another shooting affair at Black Lake, whereby a Dominion police officer, McNellie, is suffering from a bullet wound in the arm. The officer was attempting to arrest a draftee, who refused to show his papers when the shot was fired by the latter. The draftee was taken to Quebec where he will stand trial for resisting an officer.

## Record In Concrete Bridge-Building



THE double tracking of the North Toronto Sub-division of the Canadian Pacific Railway between Lansdale and North Toronto is now nearing completion, and involves the replacement of a bridge (known as 0.9 and 1.8) which heretofore had been erected of steel and the difficulty of procuring it since the war began it was found that reinforced concrete was the only material available.

The bridge was therefore constructed of this material and is a triumph of railway construction work. No. 0.9 being 386 feet long and 20 feet high carrying two tracks, and No. 1.8 of similar dimensions, but a three track structure. The length of the individual spans and the details of their construction are unprecedented in the engineering world.

Previous to this no reinforced concrete beam with a length of more than 25 feet had been attempted; the spans of these two C. P. R. structures are each from 35 to 37 feet long. These spans have been made possible by the employment of unit construction by which each span was designed as a T-beam which, after being manufactured near the work, were laid side by side on a previously built reinforced concrete towers. The towers themselves are really reinforced concrete buildings constructed in the usual manner by means of wooden forms built around a steel reinforcement which was previously assembled and securely wired together. When all was in readiness the concrete was poured by means of long spouts which led in several directions from the main mixing tower. The pouring of the concrete was maintained as continuously as possible until a whole tower was completed. This work was done during the winter a time when the temperature was below freezing point; it was performed inside of what was virtually a battery erected to maintain a suitable temperature around the work by means of a large number of heaters.

The two structures are so solid that when passing over them on a train one gets the impression that he is on a solid island instead of a bridge. The method employed in the erection of the reinforced concrete spans is a specially interesting feature of the structures. Each span, as a unit, weighed 55 tons, which was the limit load that could be handled by the C. P. R. 100 ton standard wrecking crane. The crane engaged handled no less than 110 slabs, each 55 tons in weight, or in all something like 6,000 tons, and all this was done without a single mishap to either men or material. Another remarkable feature is that both structures were built without interruption from June, 1917, to July, 1918, which was a shorter period than would have been required to manufacture and erect similar structures of steel. Passenger and freight traffic on the C. P. R. main line was continued without interruption during the progress of these interesting works.

## SUNDAY AND CONDENSED MILK FACTORIES

By W. M. ROCHESTER, General Secretary, Lord's Day Alliance

For nearly two years the delivery of milk on Sundays to condensing plants and its manufacture have been under consideration by the Lord's Day Alliance incidental to the Sunday operations of a large manufacturing plant. Ontario contending for this privilege. Supporting its plea of necessity for Sunday delivery, the company emphasized deterioration of milk held over Sunday, war contracts, needs of the Allied countries and inadequate plant.

Incidentally, the Alliance asserted, was an available, not an absolute necessity. The company had no right to undertake business it could not handle. Nevertheless the Alliance conceded Sunday delivery for at least season up to the 1st of October. This concession was refused. As to necessity the Alliance contended that the Ontario Government's ruling of 1907, which required the discontinuance of Sunday delivery and manufacture in cheese factories applied and supported the manager's statement that, with proper care, Sunday's milk could be delivered on Monday in good condition, the practice of the company in accordance for some time Sunday's milk on Monday, and for a considerable period the Sunday supply of patrons, representing about 30,000 gallons daily, who would not deliver on Sunday, and the policy of the Lord's Milk Co. which for over seven years had neither received nor manufactured milk on Sunday. To this was added the consideration that it was not necessary to hand over the whole milk supply to the condensaries. One day's supply might very well be retained for other uses. For the Army and the Allied countries butter, cheese and bacon were also necessary and with the production of these this industry interfered.

Proof of war contract might reasonably be required and also a guarantee that the Allied countries should have the benefit of shipments now known to go elsewhere.

The case thus presented by the Alliance was unanswerable. The Attorney General, however, submitted it to the Canada Food Board. The Board in turn referred it back to the Attorney General. Later it came under review of the Minister of Agriculture and the Premier and was again submitted to the Food Board.

Meanwhile the situation had changed. According to the Food Board, Sir Guy Garnett, head of the Allied Purchasing Commission in the United States, declared the need of this product for children and the sick in the Allied countries. The Board therefore fixed the price and assumed the control of export. Under these altered conditions the Alliance could offer no objection to the Board's ruling in its favor of Sunday delivery and manufacture. The concession made was absolute but limited in the following particulars:

First: For this year only, subject of course to renewal yearly as conditions required.

Secondly: From the 15th of May to the 15th September in this year.

Third: To condensed and evaporated milk only. Cheese and milk powder factories are not included.

Accompanying the Board's order is the guarantee of quiet on Sunday to the communities affected and liberty of employees to one day's rest in seven.

## BRITISH BOND ISSUE REACHES FABULOUS SUM

SUBSCRIPTION TOTAL £1,000,000,000, BONAR LAW ANNOUNCES—WORLD'S RECORD SHATTERED

London, Aug. 15.—The chancellor of the exchequer, Right Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, in a statement issued tonight, announced that the subscriptions for national war bonds has reached the stupendous figure of £1,000,000,000. Hitherto, the world's record was held by the great war loan of 1917, amounting to \$948,459,000. Most remarkable is the fact that the great result was achieved by a regular continuous week by week investment, consequently avoiding the devaluation of the money market and the upheaval of credit which after a great loan renders it impossible for the government to issue another loan for many months. It may, therefore, fairly be stated that the success of the national war bond issue is a unique achievement. Undoubtedly the excellent result obtained will serve as a stimulus to fresh endeavors.

"We need £25,000,000 weekly," said the chancellor, "and rely therefore on the patriotism and sense of duty of our people. We know now that all the financial efforts of the country will not only be sustained, but surpassed and that we shall be able to finance the war through to victory."

LIST OF U-BOAT VICTIMS GROVS

Nantucket, Mass., Aug. 14.—The auxiliary schooner Earl and Nettie was added today to the list of fishing vessels sunk by a German submarine off George's Bank Saturday. The six members of the crew, picked up 100 miles east of Nantucket and brought back to survivors of the schooner or Anita May, reported that their vessel had been sunk by gunfire after having been looted by a raiding squad from the U-boat.

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 I repair all kinds of guns and have several for sale (both new and secondhand); also shells.  
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The McLaughlin E-48 Special appeals to Canadian motorists because it touches the family pride. A person who is proud of his car, proud of his family, proud of his home, is likely to be discriminating in the selection of his motor car.

The E-Six-48 Special has an unrivaled reputation for its artistic lines and luxurious appointments. Wherever the car travels, on city boulevards, the park, or through country highways, it arouses enthusiastic admiration from all who see it.

McLaughlin supremacy has been established by the good service and satisfaction McLaughlin models are giving. The E-48 Special has done more than any other single model to establish this supremacy. The E-Six-48 Special embodies all the good features of its predecessors, with added refinements, such as longer wheelbase, full "U" door, etc.

This model is a replica of the E-Six-48 with respect to chassis, motor and transmission and all mechanical features. The special appointments include a top made of genuine English Barbant material with natural wood bows, and nickel plated slat iron; special mahogany instrument board with recess for speedometer and clock and locked compartment for small parcels. A tonneau light; and locked compartment in front of tonneau.

This car is beautifully painted in overseas blue, with black fenders and chassis.

In all points of merit in a motor car the McLaughlin E-Six-48 Special sets a standard for beauty, luxury and efficiency among Canadian-made cars, and eclipses in beauty, power, efficiency, and superb appointments, any five passenger car ever built in our factories. This model is a source of pride to the owner as well as the manufacturer.

Price and detailed specification on application. Phone or write to

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## TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to October 1st, 1918, for the purchase of the following lots in the city of Red Deer: Lots 1 and 39, in Block 20, Plan "K".

The said Lot 1 is situated on Gaetz Avenue, one block South of the Post Office and has erected thereon a one story frame house; and the said Lot 39 is situated immediately in the rear of Lot 1.

The highest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

FAYNE & GRAHAM,  
Solicitors for the Estate of  
George Fraser Purdie, deceased.  
Aug. 21-3

## M.D. of Pine Lake, No. 139.

The next meeting of the Council of the above District (old L.D.) will be held in Red Deer on Thursday, Sept. 5th, at 1 p.m.

By Order,  
J. W. HEY,  
Sec. Treas.

## Dr. W. H. PLAXTON.

## DENTAL SURGEON

613 to 617, Herald Building, Calgary.



## MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 27th September, 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, twice a week on the Penhold Rural Route No. 1, from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office at Penhold, Edw. Pine Lake, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

D. A. BRUCE,  
Post Office Inspector.  
Post Office Inspector's Office,  
Calgary, 16th August, 1918.  
Aug. 21, 3

## Local and District Intelligence

Pianos tuned—J. E. Welton.

Mrs. P. Gordon is visiting friends at Coronation.

Miss Ruth Lindsay is visiting Miss Eleanor Crawford, at Edmonton.

Miss Verna Lees was home visiting with her parents Judge and Mrs. Lees last week.

Miss Connors, of the Imperial Bank, returned last week from Calgary where she has spent her holidays with friends.

Mrs. J. Proctor and Miss Muriel Proctor left last week for a two months' visit to Toronto and other eastern cities.

The name of Lola Havens was accidentally omitted from the list of those who passed the Grade IX Departmental Examination.

Principal Locke desires to receive the names and addresses of all those who are willing to take High School students to room and board. Phone 108.

High School pupils for 1918-19, Grades 11 and 12, kindly see list of authorized books at John McVie's and leave orders for same not later than Saturday.

Ross and Hammond have taken over the Chevrolet business from Michener Bros. They also handle the Briscoe car, and carry a stock of tires and tubes, and Monogram Cylinders Oil.

A little too energetic shove on a train of cars on the track north of the station nearly knocked the train off the track on Sunday night as the cars caused the platform to cut a hole in the roof and caused some bricks out of the wall. The damage has been repaired.

The whole teaching staff of the Red Deer Schools has been re-engaged for the coming season with the exception of Miss Cole who has been granted a year's leave of absence, and Miss Springbett, who has resigned to go to British Columbia, where her parents reside. Mrs. Holt has been engaged to teach North Red Deer School, and Miss Marion Munn has been engaged to fill the vacancy on the staff.

Miss Lella Parke, Miss Hilda Soler, Miss Sally Spillard, Miss Lillian (Henderson), and Miss Kate Carswell left Monday for Calgary, where they will attend Normal School for training for first class teachers' certificates, while Miss Blanche Ellenwood and Jonas Jonasson left the same day for Camrose, where they will take their training in the Normal School at that town for first class certificates.

T. A. Gaetz is one of the old time ranchers of this district, so naturally he had a calf around. Now this calf was a pet and wandered around like Mary's little lamb; wherever the kid dies went. But last week it could not be found anywhere, and the police were looking for cattle thieves. Now, the boys have been playing war, and have a trench dug near the barn and a dug out to hide in from the German shells. Poor cattle was found at the bottom of the dug-out nearly dead. He had got down into the trench, and had wiggled into the dug-out until he could not wiggle any more, and could not give even a poor excuse. A relief party was at once organized and the calf rescued from its perilous position. The last reports say the boys have resumed operations, while the calf has been sent to the hospital for repairs.

Lawyer McClure has a cow. It wandered away one day last week, and Mac's diligent search o'er moor and fen failed to discover its whereabouts. Alderman Galbraith discovered a cow with chain attached wandering up street and captured it. He was marching along with chest extended leading the meek and lowly bovine when a red faced man ran up and wanted to know what he was doing with that cow. "Why, taking it home, of course," replied the Alderman. "Do you know who's cow that is?" "I guess it is Mr. McClure's," answered the scribe. "No, it isn't, it's mine," said the man, "and you can just hand her over." "Well, take your bally bovine," answered the now crest-fallen alderman, who walked off in disgust. Mac found his cow later, hailing for the south country, near Penhold, and all is happy on the Waskasoo once more.

## EXPULSION PRINCE LICHNOWSKY

Washington, Aug. 17.—The German emperor has given his sanction to the decision of the Prussian house of lords involving the expulsion of Prince Lichnowsky, German ambassador to England at the outbreak of the war, who, in a series of "memories" has declared that the war can not be laid at the doors of Great Britain, France, or Russia, but was the direct outgrowth of carefully laid plans of the German militaristic ruling class, according to a dispatch received here today. The former ambassador by the decision loses his seat in the Prussian house. He is now reported to be living in Switzerland.

The Red Deer Trading Co. are paying 3c per lb. for rags.

Miss McLean of the W. E. Lord Co. staff is visiting friends in Calgary.

R. J. Sanders spent a few pleasant holidays at Jasper Park.

John Malcolm and family are spending a few holidays at Sylvan Lake.

Miss Retta Baile has gone to Medicine Hat General Hospital to train for a nurse.

Pte. William Reid, Red Deer, was reported wounded but remaining on duty last week.

Miss Fyson, city librarian, is spending her holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Cassels at Sylvan Lake.

Miss Byers, who has been visiting her brother, K. M. Byers, has returned to her home at Cardston, Ont.

Pte. Leonard Malcolm, of Leslieville is reported to have died of wounds, in dispatches received last week.

The Imperial Bank of Canada has purchased the premises occupied by them from the owner, Mrs. J. E. Wright, Calgary.

Sapper John Roderick McDonald, of "Chief" McDonald, of Condon, is reported seriously ill at Shorncliffe, England.

Mrs. Rice, of Seattle, and Mrs. Rowley, of Tuba, Wash., are visiting their brother, G. W. Johnson, C.P.R. section foreman at Red Deer.

Mrs. Graham, of Saskatoon, and Mrs. Peacock, of Medicine Hat, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. W. P. Landon, have returned home.

Last week we stated that Mrs. Brumpton had been visiting in Hardisty. This was a typographical error; it should have read Mrs. Broughton.

Mark Hanna has been appointed manager of the National Manufacturing Co.'s branch, Edmonton, and will move his family there in the near future.

The Red Deer Trading Co. last week sold Mr. D. McMillan's half section near Pine Lake to Mr. Kirkland, of Calgary. Mr. Kirkland intends to move on to the place immediately.

Sergt. J. Donnelly is the guest of A. G. Ayres. He joined up with the 89th, was gassed, and was recently discharged. He has strong hopes of being all right again. He is at present working for the C.P.R.

S. G. Easton, the popular Express Agent here for some time, has been promoted to the chief clerkship of the Express Company in Edmonton, and we congratulate him on his promotion. He took over his new work on Monday. G. E. Wiseman, of Calgary office is the new Agent here, and we feel sure Mr. Wiseman will make good in his new position, and we welcome him to Red Deer. He will reside in the house vacated by Mr. Easton on 4th St. North.

Another great rescue will have to be recorded at Sylvan Lake as on Sunday afternoon, with the wind howling down the lake at two miles an hour and the wild waves lashing the sandy shore, a launch was noticed in difficulties rolling in the trough of the sea with a signal of distress flying from the mast head, about a hundred yards from the east camp shore. A Commodore W. V. was in command there was a feeling with some that the lady passengers on board would escape with their lives. But this feeling was not shared by constable G. who, with eagle eye discerned disaster dire ahead, and a watery wet grave alone, as the water was four fathoms, or rather four feet deep at that particular spot and very wet. Although he was in bathing suit he wrapped a kimono around him and jumped into an auto and dashed to the rescue. He borrowed Kilburn's boat, rowed to the distressed craft, jumped aboard and started the motor, thus earning the plaudits of a big crowd gathered on the shore to see the rescue, while two small boys waded out and brought in the boat and drifting oars, as the vessel came to the wind and majestically rode the waves for the home port.

## GERMAN AVIATORS RAID U.S. HOSPITAL BUT ARE DRIVEN OFF.

With the American Army on the Vesle, Aug. 17.—German bombing machines have made two attacks upon an American field hospital south of the Vesle, but were driven off by anti-aircraft guns. There were no casualties. The Germans dropped five bombs on Thursday night and six on Friday night, two of the latter falling to explode. The hospital tents covered several acres. The nearest bomb struck within twenty yards of one large tent.

## TORONTO TOP MARKET PRICES

Cattle	15.25
Sheep	15.00
Lambs	15.00
Swine	20.00
Wheat	2.14
Oats	.54
Rye	.42
Butter, dairy	.40
Eggs	.45
Cheese	.27-16

The market continues with its abnormal features, entirely apart from seasonal influences; and for the most part prices are exceptionally high. Butter is some 6c to 7c per lb. higher than last year at this time; eggs have climbed 1c higher than a year ago; and fruits of all sorts are bringing record prices. This is due to two causes: a shortage of supply, due to the diverting of labor from agricultural production, coupled with unfavorable weather conditions, and a general increase in the level of costs. Production is dearer than ever before, and if prices did not, at least in a degree, keep pace with the mounting costs, our agriculture would be in a bad way. Consumers who chafe against this increased cost of living need look for no bettering of conditions while the war lasts and possibly for some time after. If it is any comfort, we would draw their attention to the fact that this mounting tax on the maintenance of life is encountered by the agriculturist as by the milligan and the meat and laborer.—Weekly Farmer's Sun.

## HINDENBERG'S DEATH

(Hampton, Iowa, Chronicle)  
We thought we had explained about Von Hindenberg, but here comes a reader who has heard the general is dead and wants to know if the report is true. To the best of our knowledge and belief, Hindenberg was killed in battle, the shock so weakening him that he contracted typhoid fever and he died in a hospital where he became a nervous wreck and lost his mind, which made it very easy for him to lose his temper while quarreling with the Kaiser out on the field, and in the quarrel he had a rash of cerebral wariness and congestion of the brain, after which he lingered just long enough to develop a fatal illness, the name and character of which are not revealed. If any further information is received concerning his condition or whereabouts the particulars will be conveyed to readers of the Chronicle promptly.

## MARRIED.

At St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, on August 2nd, Marion, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKay, of Toronto, to Lieut. H. Foreman, V.S., of Red Deer. The Lieut. will leave for overseas in the near future. Miss McKay was a member of St. Andrew's Church choir, for some time previous to her marriage. The Lieutenant is well known to many people in Red Deer, as he was working for Dr. McEwan when in the city, and they all wish to extend congratulations.

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Aug. 21.

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